

15. remote locations and said central station to provide two-way
16 audio and at least one-way video communications;
17 a memory unit for storing time sequence data and remote
18 location data on said remote locations; and
19 a control computer coupled to said memory [apparatus]
20 unit and said telephonic interface apparatus for actuating
21 said telephonic interface apparatus to selectively
22 communicate from said plurality of remote location to one of
23 said plurality of television display structures in
24 accordance with said time sequence data and to control the
25 display of said television display structures.

1 47. (Amended) A system according to claim 46 wherein said
2 remote location data includes identification data relating to
3 said plurality of remote locations.

R E M A R K S

This Amendment is in response to the office action mailed on July 24, 1996. Claims 26-51 are pending in this application. Applicant appreciates the Examiner's indication that claims 26-51 would be allowable if rewritten or amended to overcome the rejections under 35 U.S.C. § 112. By this amendment, Applicant has amended claims 26-32, 34-41, 46, and 47, not only to address the Examiner's rejections under 35 U.S.C. § 112, but also to address other instances of lack of antecedent bases, which the

Examiner may have missed. Allowance of this application is respectfully requested.

Discussion of the 35 U.S.C. Rejection of Claims 26-51

In paragraph 1 of the office action, the Examiner rejected claims 26-51 under 35 U.S.C. § 112.

Specifically, Applicant has amended claim 26 to recite representative --image-- television signals, which has antecedent basis at line 6 of that claim. Applicant has also amended the claim to recite television --communication-- structures, which has antecedent basis at line 4 of claim 26. For each instance where the recitation "television display structures" occurs, Applicant has amended claim 26 (as well as claims 27, 30, 31, 40, and 46) to recite --a plurality of-- before that recitation. In claims 26 and 30, the recitation "central location" is replaced with central --station--. The recitations "said remote station" and "said audio response unit," are recited in the form those recitations are first introduced in claims 26, 30, 46, and 47.

Also in claim 30, Applicant has replaced the recitation "telephone interface apparatus" with telephone interface --unit--, which provides antecedent basis for its later occurrences.

In claims 34 and 35, Applicant has recited each occurrence of "said scrutiny locations" in the form that recitation is first introduced.

In claim 38, the recitation "security" is replaced with

--scrutiny--.

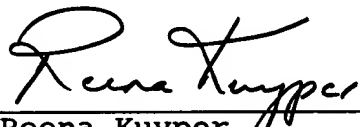
In claim 39, Applicant has amended it to recite --a-- television camera structure, which obviates the need for antecedent basis. With respect to the same claim, Applicant finds no reference to "said one security location," but has amended the recitation "scrutiny" location to conform with its other occurrences.

Also in claim 40, after the recitation "said scene" Applicant has inserted the text --representative dynamic image signals of said location displays--.

Also in claim 46, the recitation "said memory apparatus" is recited as said memory --unit--, which has antecedent basis at line 17.

Favorable consideration and allowance of claims 26-32, 34-41, 46, and 47, as amended, and their dependent claims, is respectfully requested.

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